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Application No.: 09/964,787) Group Art Unit: 2853
Filed: September 28, 2001)
For: PERIPHERAL EQUIPMENT AND)
MANAGEMENT METHOD)
THEREOF) December 20, 2001

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Issuance of a corrected Filing Receipt is respectfully requested.

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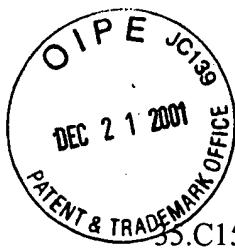
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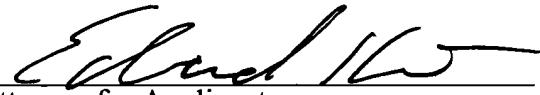
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An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given **TWO MONTHS** from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

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